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A Journal

Kept by me (C. W. Durgin) of my second whaling voyage to Hudson's Bay in the Bark *Menticello* of New London, Conn, commencing Thursday, the 30th of June, 1864, and ending Thursday, the 21st of Sept., 1865;

Thursday, June 30. We set sail about 10 o'clock, the tug-boat towing us out 20 miles. Was chosen in the starboard watch - had eight hours on't deck. Eight men before the mast.

Friday July 1st. Rained all day. A boat's crew from the Brig *Ameretta* of Fayal, came aboard after sugar - was bound for New Bedford. We had no watch below in the day time.

Saturday, July 2^d. Was foggy all day. We set up the fore & main backstays.

Sunday, July 3^d. Rained all day.

Monday, July 4th. We saw a steamship off our starboard quarter.

Friday, July 8th. We had a watch below in the afternoon for the first time.

Monday, July 11th. Saw a large number of finback whales. We caught a porpoise. Also saw about 25-600 fishermen on the Banks of Newfoundland.

Wednesday, July 13th Heavy rain storm, accompanied by a gale of wind.

Thursday, July 14th The gale continued all night and day. Saw land and several icebergs.

Friday, July 15th We ran in close to St. John's, where we found the tender awaiting us. Capt. Chapel and Mr. Hall, (the Arctic explorer), went ashore. The pilot came aboard and took charge.

Saturday, July 16th We laid off and on all day and night.

Sunday, July 17th We laid off and on, as the day before.

Monday, July 18th The Capt. & Mr. Hall came aboard about noon and immediately set sail for Hudson's Bay. We got the rest of the crew at St. John's - 7 men, - making in all 15 men before the mast.

Tuesday, July 19th We passed a large iceberg. The starboard watch washed off decks for the first time.

Wednesday, July 20th We had another cold rain storm, continuing till Sunday night.

Wednesday, July 27th Cold rain & storm.

Thursday, July 28th We made land at the mouth of
Kenderson's Straits, - saw plenty of ice. Put on mittens for the
first time.

Friday, July 29th Had a fair wind, and so we ran into
the ice.

Saturday, July 30th Laid off and on Savage Island.

Sunday, July 31st The tender and Monticello tied up to a
cake of ice together.

Monday, August 1st Two of our men - cook and David were
put in irons, for being drunk. Edward Rowe, was made cook.
We tied up to a cake of ice again at night.

Tuesday, 3^d Esquimaux Joe (who came from New York
with Hal) killed a white bear on a cake of ice, about 5 aclk.
in the morning. He also killed another bear in the afternoon.
We anchored to a cake of ice about two acres over.

Thursday, 4th We went on the iceberg and ran about. -
Had a gale of wind - furl'd all the sails. We saw two sails - one
off our starboard quarter & the other off our starboard bow.

Friday, 5th We counted twenty-five icebergs - all in sight at once.

Saturday, 6th We ran close to an iceberg - supposed to be 300 feet long and 150 feet high.

Sunday, 7th Our carpenter, Harry Henry, was put aboard the tender. Henry Dwyer was put aboard the Monticello.

Wednesday, 10th We made Charles's Island at the entrance of Hudson's Bay.

Thursday, 11th Saw two sails off our larboard beam - one in the morning and the other in the evening. Heard two guns fired about 6 o'clock in the evening. Was a warm day.

Friday, 12th The two ships which we saw the day before came alongside, which proved to be Hudson's Bay Fur Traders, named the "Prince of Wales," and "Prince Arthur." Capt. & Mr. Hall went aboard one of them and stayed all the afternoon, after which they came aboard, and they gave us three cheers (which we returned) and we kept our course. We arrived in the Bay. Two of our men were "dreadful sick." The next morning these two vessels were seen high and dry in the rocks.

Tuesday, 16th. Had another gale of wind - had our topsails close reefed

Wednesday, 17th Wind began to abate

Saturday, 20th. Made land in morning - anchored off Defet Island about noon. Landed Hall and his Esquimaux with all his baggage on Defet Island; at his leave Hall felt very bad. We also landed our house and several spars - two hours' sleep that night.

Sunday, 21st Weighed anchor and set sail for Marble Island about 3 o'clock in the morning.

Monday, 22^d Made Marble Island - saw the tender - learned that the English ships had run ashore on Mansfield Island, and learned by a letter left on M.I. that the vessels that wintered here had gone north - there being no whales around these islands. We steered north again - came near running ashore.

Tuesday, 23^d Carried away our main-top - gallant-sail - sent up a new one.

Wednesday, 24th Made Defet Island, and saw four ships anchored inside.

Thursday, 25th Had a gale of wind all night and day.

Friday, 26th Went into anchor at Defet Island with six other vessels. Wrote a long letter to my mother and sent it aboard the Brig Isabella of New London.

Saturday, 27th Went aboard the tender and helped unload her—sounded out a harbor for the Bark.

Sunday, 28th Went aboard five or six vessels gambling. Weighed our starboard anchor.

Monday, 29th Moved the Bark for winter in the morning, and then Mr. Binks' & Mr. Chestie's boats crews went aboard the tender, and set sail for Wager River.

Wednesday, 31st We lowered for a whale, but did not get him—was the first one we saw since we came into the Bay.

Thursday, September, 1st We lowered again for another whale but did not get him in account of there being so many boats from other ships. Schooner's boats landed 4 all on Whale P.

Friday, 2^d. The Brig Oxford Capt. Cherry, came down across our stern and spoke us. The Daniel Webster set sail for home.

Monday, 5th We ran into Defet Island and took our house
aboard the tender

Tuesday, 6th We took aboard a lot of wood from Defet Is-
land, and then set sail for Marble Island in the tender.

Thursday, 8th Had a gale of wind. At night as I went out with
two men to furl the jib, the stowp at the end of the footrope drew out &
I went overboard. - Had on my large coat and sea boots

Friday, 9th We anchored close to Marble Island - as soon as we dropped
anchor, Mr. Binks & Mr. Chester's boats' crews started for Chester-
field Inlet to look for natives and to hunt - at night we camped on the
main land opposite Marble Island.

Saturday, 10th Started early in the morning again - sailed and
furlled all day, and at night we camped within 50 miles of the Bar
Was foggy in the morning. We found a place where the natives had
a lot of skins buried. Mr. Binks shot two deer.

Sunday, 11th Started back for N. B. in the morning - dead to
windward - did not get more than a dozen miles all day. Mr. Binks
shot another deer about a mile from camp. Had duck sters for
supper - saw a plenty of deer.

Monday, 12th Started again towards M.D. but did not get more than 12 or 15 miles, when we pitched our tents for the night. The wind blew, & it rained all day. H. Wilbur shot another deer about four miles from camp, which we had to back to the boats.

Tuesday, 13th Stopped in camp all day - because it was so foggy and rainy.

Wednesday, 14th Started at 9 o'clock, dead to windward - pitched our tents opposite M.D. about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. Binks killed an antelope. We had to open our lantern key to get bread. Had a hard pull.

Thursday, 15th Started again dead to windward and camped again at the same place where we camped the first night. Was a very cold night - did not sleep much.

Friday, 16th We set sail for Mab about sunrise and arrived at the schooner about 10 o'clock - found four other ships in the harbor, and the house built. The vessels were the Ansel Gibbs, Orytaft, Glacier & Cassinella. Had a snow storm - the first of the season.

Saturday, 17th We set sail in the schooner for D.P. with a fair wind.

Sunday, 18th It began to snow and blow a gale of wind in the afternoon, and lasted all night - hauled on the wind at night off D. P.

Monday, 19th The gale continued, accompanied by snow & sleet all day. Made Table Mountain, in afternoon, - ran for D. P. and anchored alongside the Bark, about 4 o'clock. - found the Concord and the George & Mary in the harbor. The storm continued all night.

Tuesday, 20th Began breaking out to load the schooner. The Barks Antelope & Black Eagle came from the northward and anchored

Wednesday 21st We hauled the tender alongside and loaded her with coal and provisions. The wind blew and it snowed all day.

Thursday, 22^d We boarded up the quarter deck and scrubbed the deck and painted work.

Friday, 23^d Went to Defat Island and got some bone to shoe the sleds. We then helped tow the Antelope & Black Eagle into the harbor. Went aboard the Eagle and saw Capt. Lemwood, - the first I had heard since we parted in New London last voyage. Mr. Laffin (Steward of Antelope) came aboard with some of the boatsteerers, in the evening and we had a good time.

Saturday, 24th Our boat's crew started on another excursion up a larger river running to the westward of Charles P. - Mr. Binks shot a rabbit and a seal - camped at the falls at the head of the river that night.

Sunday, 25th Started back towards the ship,

Monday, 26th Got a lot of willow to make tea of in the winter. Started again towards the ship with a fair wind, and arrived at the ship about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Wednesday, 28th Went gaming aboard the Black Eagle and stopped till after supper - had a good time with the steward.

Thursday, Sept. 29th

Mr. Binks and a boat's crew started on another excursion.

Friday, 30th We helped tow the Eagle & State life down close to the other vessels - there not being water enough where they were.

Saturday, October 1st

I made a black ring and set silver into it - the first one during the voyage.

Sunday, 2^d Mr. Binks' boat's crew came back after being gone three days.

Monday, 3^d Pumped water out of the main hold,

Tuesday, 4th Pumped water out of the main hold in the forenoon.

Wednesday, 5th Had a heavy gale of wind, accompanied by

Thursday, 6th We put up the stove and had a fire for the first time, till 9 o'clock in evening.

Friday 7th Had a fire all day & night.

Wednesday, 12th Went gambling aboard the Antelope in evening.

Thursday, 13th Made two black rings - one for the steward - the other for Ed. Gilliland. (Was a warm day for a wonder.)

Monday, 14th Made another black ring and set a steer and spelt out it - the first one of the kind I ever made.

Wednesday, 19th Had a gale of wind - a boats crew from the Antelope and one from the Eagle came aboard, and had to stay all night, because they could not get aboard their own ships. We filled a cask of water for the Eagle.

Thursday, 20th The thermometer was down to zero. The harbor froze partially over. J. Algie and myself played together.

Friday, 21st Some of the crew went aboard the Eagle & Antelope. The harbor froze entirely over.

Saturday, 22nd Went aboard the Anletepe and joined the minstrel band which was being organized. We broke out the starboard side of the main hatch.

Sunday, 23rd Mr. Loaffin came aboard - had a good time

Monday, 24th We sailed around the ship and hauled her around about three points. Mr. Loaffin came aboard and we played & sang till 11 o'clk. I had a nice present from him - a pair of Greenland natives' earrings.

Tuesday, 25th We turned the boats over - broke out and pumped out water in the fore hold. We had a dance in the forecabin - the first of the season.

Wednesday, 26th In the forenoon we pumped out the rest of the water on the starboard side of the fore hold & in the afternoon we went ashore and cut out 78 pieces of fresh water ice.

Thursday, 27th Went ashore and cut the rest of our ice - making in all 111 pieces. Had a seafie for dinner - We had a dance on the quarter deck - had a good time.

Friday, 28th We finished pumping out the fore hold.

Saturday, 29th I got out a piece for a barge - stock. Mr. Binker went fishing. Had a dance in the house on deck.

Sunday, 30th C. H. Durfee came aboard & we played together

Monday, 31st Broke out the Antelope for the Theatre - we went to D. S. twice - Had a dance at the Antelope, I played with Durfee & Binks for the dance. Capt. Chapel, Capt. White & Jeffry came down between decks and into the forecabin

Tuesday, November 1st

Went after a load of ice - The ice broke almost into the ship - it was so warm - something very uncommon for this country, at this season of the year. Mr. Scappin came aboard - made a toggle for a watch chain for him.

Wednesday, 2^d Got out and glued together some pieces for a

Thursday, 3^d Charlie Williams stopped to supper with me.

Friday, 4th I went over to the Eagle and played with C. H. Durfee in the cabin.

Saturday, 5th I went over to the Antelope's storage and had a rehearsal.

Sunday, 6th Charlie Williams, W. Summers & myself went up to Pease's Harbor, and saw Mr. Davis's grave - also saw King's grave (the fellow who froze to death last voyage - belonged to the Pioneer)

Monday, 7th Went after a load of ice - made a ring for a heat-stirrer of the Eagle.

Wednesday, 9th The Minstrels had a rehearsal.

Thursday, 10th Minstrels had another rehearsal - also a meeting to choose a stage manager.

Friday Nov 11th The minstrels had their first performance - house crowded (See back part of this book for programme.)

Monday, 14th Went over to the Eagle's cabin and had a good time with Linnwood. I began the wreath in my black box.

Went after a load of ices.

Tuesday, 15th Finished the wreath in my black box. We began banking up the ship.

Wednesday, 16th Lake Dramatic Company had their first performance - played "Louise the Laborer" and the "La Bonte Statue".

Tuesday, 22^d Worked banking ship all day.

Wednesday, 23^d We went after a load of ice.

Thursday, 24th Made a pair of hinges for my box. The Dramatic

Friday, 25th Two natives came to the ship from the southward, while we were banking ship. Minstrels had a rehearsal.

Sunday, 27th It began to blow a gale, accompanied by snow.

Monday, 28th The storm continued all day & night - completely banking up the ship - wind hauled to the northward, and came off cold.

Tuesday, 29th Worked building a wall around the ship all day. Wednesday, 30th Banked ship. Thursday, Dec 1st Banked ship.

Friday, Dec 2^d Banked ship all day. The Dramatic Company played "Box & Cox" "Poodles," & "The Omnibus".

Saturday, 3^d Worked banking ship ~~all~~ in the forenoon.

Monday, 5th Banked ship all day - was no wind.

Tuesday, 6th Banked ship in the forenoon - Minstrels had a rehearsal in the afternoon. Made a gage. Minstrels gave their second entertainment.

Wednesday, 7th We finished banking ship.

Thursday, 8th Made two ivory rings.

Friday, 9th Dramatic Company played "The Idiot Witness" & "The Irish Emigrant"

Monday, 12th I was a little sick, for the first time during the voyage.

Tuesday, 13th We had a dance - Portuguese & Americans - Portuguese had a "fandango."

Wednesday, 14th Natives - "Albert," "Frank," "Doctor," "Armen," "Jack" & two of the boys, arrived at the ship from the northward; also native Joe & the Dutchman who went with Hall arrived! Was 51 below zero.

Friday, 16th I made a black ring with six stars & 18 spots of silver. Had a dance instead of a Theatre, but I did not go.

Saturday, 17th Some of the southern natives came with their families. Dramatic Company played "The Stranger" a 5 Act play, and concluded with a song by the company. - "The Robbers of the Glen."

Tuesday, 20th Went after a load of ice with boots on, but did not freeze my feet. "Mike" froze his badly. Minstrels played for the third time.

Wednesday 21st Hauled snow to cover up the deck.

Thursday, 22nd A touch of the scurvy appeared on Arthur Welsh of this ship.

Friday 23rd Dramatic Company played "Michael Carl, the Maniac Seever" & "More Blunders than One".

Saturday, 24th Had a dress ball, but I did not go. Made a knife to trim fies with.

Sunday, 25th Copied my Journal into this book.

Monday, 26th Worked making a bodkin. In the evening I went over to the Antelope and played the banjo with W. Creek.

Tuesday, 27th Had a dance. Played for the dance. Finished my first bodkin.

Wednesday, 28th Made another bodkin. Went after a load of ice.

Thursday, 29th Made my third bodkin.

Friday, 30th Made two wheels for Mr. Binks. Dramatic Company played Louke the Laborer & La Blanche Statue.

Saturday, 31st Had a dress ball - danced the old year out - and the new year in.

I began to work on my banjo.

A party of men went around the different ships serenading - got pretty drunk before morning.

January, 1865.

Monday, Jan. 2^d. Worked on my banjo and a bodkin.

The Minstrels had a rehearsal. Was a very cold night. Mr. Sciffin froze his ear three times coming from the Antelope to the Ponticello, and I froze my nose coming from the Antelope to the Ponticello.

Tuesday, 3^d. Worked on my banjo. The Minstrels gave their last entertainment.

Wednesday, 4th. I went over to see Limwood and had a long conversation concerning the Minstrels - I learned a thing or two. Made the white diamonds for my banjo - I shaved for the first time since I left home.

Thursday, 5th. Worked setting in the white diamonds into my banjo.

Friday, 6th. I set the black diamonds into my banjo - cut out a pattern for a tail-piece for my banjo.

Saturday, 7th. Made and set a hoop into my banjo.

Monday, 9th. Worked on my banjo.

Tuesday, 10th. Finished the banjo. Learned of Algie's situation in life.

Wednesday, 11th. I began a small black-walnut box. Began to give J. Algie lessons on the banjo.

Thursday, 12th Worked on my black willow box
Went over to the Eagle and played with Diefey.

Friday, 13th Dramatic Company played "Damon and
Pythias" and while playing some of the natives from the
north came, among whom were Mr. Hall, Albert, John and
their wives, and Hannah, the native woman who come up
with us from New London

Saturday, 14th To get out the pieces for two more boxes.
In the evening Capt. Chapel had some fireworks - roman
candles - sky-rockets, pin-wheels, &c.

Sunday, 15th We ~~built~~ made a wall on both sides
of the ship to keep the dogs from eating meat on the house.

Monday, 16th I began a small mahogany box. - Washed
my clothes in the evening.

Tuesday, 17th Worked on my box. Had a dance in the
evening, but I did not go.

Wednesday, 18th Made the trimming and put it on my
box, also worked some on Miller's box. Made a black ring
and set in a diamond and two hearts.

Thursday, 19th Worked on my box, also Miller's.
Went after ice.

Friday, 20th I laid two black stripes in my box.
Dramatic Company played Foodles & Box & Cox.

Saturday, 21st I laid some roses in the corners of my box.
Made an ivory ring, Capt. White, Chapel and Jeffery and
one dog-team, started on a visit to Marble Island.

Sunday, 23^d I made a small badkin also a pair of
hinges for my mahogany box.

Tuesday, 24th Sanded out ivory for four badkins and began an
ivory tail-piece for my bango. Played for a dance.
Had an offer to work on a box for Mr. Chaffee for a dollar
a day.

Wednesday, 25th Worked on my tail-piece for the bango.
Began a badkin.

Thursday, 26th Finished the badkin I began Wed-
nesday, and got another almost done.

Friday, 27th Finished the badkin and the tail-piece.
The Dramatic Company played "The Idiotic Witness" all

Saturday, 28th I began another bookkin. Went over to the Eagle to see C. Williams.

Monday, 30th Made another bookkin.

Tuesday, 31st I made a wooden pipe for the steward. Had a masked ball I did not go. C. Williams came over and stayed the evening.

— February —

Wednesday, Feb. 1st I got out some pieces for a picture frame.

Thursday, 2^d Worked on my picture frame. Had a gale of wind. The Capt. arrived from Marble Island after being away twelve days. Learned that snow prevailed down there.

Friday, 3^d Worked a little on my frame.

Dramatic Company played "Michael Earle the Married Lover" and "More Blunders than One". Broke the lock to my chest.

Saturday, 4th We worked most all day levelling down a large snow-bank close to the ship which made there two days before. Took the lock off my chest and mended it and fitted a new key to it. Had another masked ball.

(Feb)
Monday, 6th Got my picture frame ready to glue together. The Capt. had their first dance.

Tuesday, 7th I got my frame together and the back in place. Prisoner had a sleep - hoping he awake all night. He was put in irons.

Wednesday, 8th Finished my picture frame. Dramatic Company played "Damon and Pythias"; after which Mr. Hall made a few remarks concerning his expedition - the natives - the theatre &c. to which Mr. Montgomery, S. Rogers, replied; and ^{then} concluded with "The Village Lawyer". During the intermission Dr. Cleve sang a song which was composed for the occasion - bringing in the plays which had been played in the theatre, and last of all bringing in something about the distinction between the officers and men of the respective ships, and hitting Barnwood, the leader of the Minstrel. Mr. Hall said we should see it all in print up to the time ^{the} ships should leave the bay.

Thursday, 9th The foremast band of the different ships had a ball, and while dancing the boat-keepers of the Antelope came down and began a row, which

resulted in a general row, in which mates, and fore-
mast hands of different ships had a hand. The reason of
the row was in the afternoon some of the principal
characters of the Dramatic Company had a meeting and
and withdrew from the theatre, which caused the
breaking up of the same.

Friday, 10th Mr. Hall and his company left the
ships for their winter-quarters, with a strong ^{head} wind.
Capt. Chapel forbid any of the Monticello's crew
going aboard the Antelope, and the Capt. of the A.
forbid any of his crew coming aboard the Monticello, ex-
cept on business. The Capt. and boatstewards had their
first dance after the breaking up of the theatre.

Saturday, 11th Worked mending clothes. One of the
Eagle's crew went down to the flaw-edge (which was broken
in close to Defat Island) and broke in, but got out all right.

Sunday, 12th Capt. had their second dance. I
went over and played till about 12 o'clock. Mr. Pariser and
myself went to Defat Island to see how far the water was off.

Monday, 13th We went after a load of ice. Was
the hardest sledging we have had during the winter.

Wednesday, 13th The Capt. and officers had another dance.

Thursday, 16th Made an ivory ring.

Friday, 17th I made two ivory rings. The officers had another dance.

Saturday, 18th I made two more ivory rings.

Sunday, 19th Mr. Binks and J. Algie went fishing.

Monday, 20th Got out some ivory for thirteen rings.

Tuesday, 21st Made four ivory rings.

Wednesday, 22^d Made four ivory rings.

The dancing crowd of the fleet celebrated Washington's birth day by having a great supper at the Antelope, after which they had a dance, and most of them got so drunk that they had to be carried to their respective ships.

Thursday, 23^d Made two rings. Mr. Binks, Kitcher, and native Albert went fishing, to be away two or three days.

Friday, 24th We went after a load of hay. I went over to the Eagle and took supper with Dick Merchant.

Saturday, 25th I made four ivory rings.

Monday, 27th I made ivory rings. The officers had another dance. The watch-heads changed the watches.

Tuesday, 28th I made four ivory rings. Mr. Binks and the rest of the fishermen arrived at the ship with six trout - five for this ship and one for the Geo. & Mary - after being away five days. Our thermometer - was down the lowest it had been during the winter being down out of sight. It was marked to 60. All winter ~~previously~~ ^{before} to-day, our thermometer has been higher than the Antelope's, but to-day it was below the Antelope's. The Eagle's was down to 80 below. Capt. Chapin registered it at 60 below zero.

Wednesday, March, 1st Got out ivory for six rings.

Thursday, Mar. 2^d I did nothing all day, but gam the different ships in the fleet.

Friday, Mar 3^d I made two rings. The officers had another dance. The dances began to "flay out."

Sunday, Mar. 5th The wind blew a gale all day long from the south-east, and made another large snow-bank along side.

Monday, Mar. 6th Done nothing but sit beside the stove all day long - hard work.

Tuesday, Mar. 7th I began a new styled bodkin a fist for a head.

Wednesday, Mar. 8th I finished the bodkin I began Tuesday.

Thursday, Mar. 9th I began another bodkin. The cooper of the Eagle came over to the Men, and he and myself made a bench to work on.

Friday, Mar. 10th I finished the bodkin I began Thursday. We went after a load of ice. The bodkin was a fist for a head and a piece of cable. The officers had another dance.

Saturday, Mar. 11th I made another bodkin with six stripes - three black and three red. The cooper of the Eagle gave me ivory enough for four more bodkins. We had a gale of wind from the north-west.

Sunday, Mar. 12th I got out pieces for six bodkins. I also began one for the cooper of the Eagle.

Tuesday, Mar, 14th I finished the cooper's bodkin and began another for Mr. Binks.

Wednesday, Mar, 15th I finished Mr. Bink's bodkin and got another one most done. Worked during my watch.

In the evening I went aboard the Geo. & Mary for the second time during the winter.

Thursday, Mar, 16th I began a new style bodkin - a ring stepper-knot for a head.

Friday, Mar, 17th I finished the bodkin I began Thursday, and began another one.

Saturday, Mar, 18th I finished another bodkin. Mr. Miller, of the Eagle came over and made a bodkin with my tools.

Monday, Mar, 20th Worked awhile in the forenoon labelling down a snow bank along side, and in the afternoon we got a lead of ice. I made a bodkin for Leba Loigthana.

Tuesday, Mar, 21st Made another bodkin for myself.

Wednesday, Mar. 22^d We worked all the forenoon
levelling down another snow-bank which made along side
Tuesday, I began another badkin with a ring-stopper. Just for
a head.

Thursday, Mar. 23^d I finished my twentieth
badkin.

Friday, Mar. 24th In the afternoon I went over
to the Antelope took supper with Sacri.

Saturday, Mar. 25th I began about a dozen rings
In the evening I took the banjo and went over to
the Geo. & Mary - had a good time with Bill.

Sunday, 27th I made one ivory ring in the shape of a
"Turk's head".

Tuesday, 28th - We took the snow all off our decks.
In the evening I went aboard the Geo. & Mary.

Wednesday, 29th We sent up a tackle and broke and
bread and flour.

Thursday, 30th I began a slide for a watch-
guard for the blacksmith. (Friday, 31st) I finished the blacksmith

Saturday, April 1st I began a small paper-cutter for myself. The native called Doctor, arrived here from Marble Island with letters, from which we learned that all our men were down with the scurvy, but are getting better now.

Monday, Apr. 3rd I finished my paper-cutter.

Tuesday, 4th. Made an ivory ring for Bill — of the Geo. & Mary.

Wednesday, 5th We went after a load of ice, also took Mr. Bink's boat down on to the ice.

Thursday, 6th I made a new ivory banjo bridge.

Monday, 10th We went after a load of ice, I took a sweat at night. The Eagle's crew hauled their boats from the shore to the ship.

Tuesday, 11th Capt & officers had their last dance.

Thursday, 13th I began a little ivory fence for the Capt.

Friday April 14th I worked on the Capt's fence

Saturday, 15th We hauled Mr. Bink's boat down to Depot Island - no water in sight. We also took the bow and starboard-quarter boat down on to the ice alongside. The ship came near being burned - caused by the steward leaving a can of grease on the stove while away.

Monday, 17th We took the bow boat down off the house.

Tuesday, Apr. 18th We hauled eighteen casks from the main land - also hauled five bread casks to Depot, and then hauled twelve casks from the west side of the Island to the east side.

Wednesday, 19th - We hauled four loads of ice from the pond to the salt-water ice, and two loads to the ship.

Thursday, 20th We cleared off the top of the house, and made lance-warps.

Friday, 21st We broke out the mizzen hatch and put the coal into the rym, and filled two casks with coal for the Island.

Saturday, 22^d We hauled the starboard-quarter and the bow boat down to the Island - I could just get back and that's all - very lame.

Sunday, 23^d I had to make another harness, my old one being tore out.

Monday, 24th The Geo. & Mary jumped part-way out of the ice they having dug their bow and stern out two days before. We got our cutting gear &c ready for Island.

Tuesday, 25th We hauled two casks of coal - one of cutting gear, and one cask of bread to the Island in one load. I was pretty sick and lame - took a sweat at night.

Wednesday, 26th I was sick ahead most of the day. We had a heavy gale of wind from the north and eastward - continuing all night.

Thursday, 27th

Friday, 28th We went after a load of ice in the forenoon and mended two old sails in the afternoon.

Saturday, Apr. 29th We hauled a load of spars, wood
mincing-tub, &c to the Island.

May, 1865

1st, Monday,

We had a gale of wind from the eastward, accom-
panied by a snow-storm.

Tuesday, May, 2^d, We tore our house down from the gun-
deck.

Wednesday, May, 3^d We hauled our lumber down to
the Island and partially built our house on Depot -
I was so lame I had to come back to the ship,
Ed. Rowe also started for the ship, but being tired,
he laid down on the ice and went to sleep, Mr. B. s
seeing him he sent a man to start him along.
I had quite a long talk with the Capt. - he said I
had the scurvy.

Thursday, May, 4th I got some powder from the Dr.
of the Intelope, The Capt. told me to eat raw meat
and mucktuck, The blacks with discovered that
he had the scurvy.

Friday, May, 5th Upon examination, our cook, (Ed. Rowe) was found to be covered with "lice" - his head being so full that he had to have his hair and whiskers cut off close.

Saturday, May, 6th In the morning it snowed a little, but before night it blew such a gale as we have not seen during the winter, - from the northward and eastward.

Sunday, May, 7th During the night the wind hailed to the northward and blew as hard as the day before.

Monday, May, 8th The wind hailed round to the westward, and a little water to be seen from Depot Island.

Tuesday, May, 9th Strong wind from the westward. We went after a load of ice (that is, our men). I could not go.

Wednesday, 10th Our men went to Depot Island with a store, barrel of molasses, sails, &c. Capt. C. gave me some British oil to put on my lamp, and some Wharfedale oil to take.

Friday, May, 12th Our men went to the Island to prepare the house ready to move into.

Saturday, May 13th We moved to Defat Island to floc whale it. One boat from each ship went out. I was made cook - being so lame that I could not go in a boat.

Sunday, 14th We had a heavy snow storm, accompanied by a gale of wind. We set up our stove in our shanty. The thermometer stood at 6 deg. below zero.

Thursday, 18th We had another dreadful storm - wind from the eastward. The storm continued all day Friday.

Saturday, 20th Fourteen boats were launched.

Sunday, 21st Mr. Cisson - mate of the Antelope got the first whale on the floc, which made 120 bls.

Monday, 22^d "All hands" were all day hauling blubber to the Island.

Tuesday, 23^d We worked all day hauling our share of blubber over the Island towards the ship.

Wednesday, 24th We hauled our blubber to the ship.

Thursday, May, 25th We took the flag-staff
down and rove halliards.

Friday, 26th Half of our men went down and
dragged the boats in nearer the Island - the rest went
to the ship for wood. We are having as cold weather
here now as we usually have at home in mid-winter.
Another snow storm to-day.

Saturday, 27th The boats went out this afternoon.

Sunday, 28th Went to the ship after a cask of
coal.

Monday, 29th We had another dreadful snow
and hail storm.

Tuesday, 30th We went to the ship this afternoon
and got the hold ready to take in salt water for ballast.

Wednesday, 31st It stormed so to-day that we
could do nothing but "turn in and keep warm."

Thursday, June 1st We went to the ship - sent up our
royal and top-gallant yards - spread sails to dry, &c
The B. Eagle and the Geo & Mary boiled out their blubber.

Friday, June 2^d There is nothing doing to-day.

Saturday, 3^d Nothing doing to-day. We went "picking up drift wood" to-night.

Sunday, 4th It ~~was~~ ^{is} a cold winter's day - we "turned in" to keep warm.

Monday, 5th We went to the ship and got a cask of coal.

Tuesday, 6th We, the bow boat crew went to the ship and boiled out our share of the first whale.

Wednesday, 7th All hands went to the ship and stowed down the oil we boiled out yesterday - 23 bbls.

Thursday, 8th Nothing doing to-day.

Friday, 9th We went to the ship after a load of wood.

Saturday, 10th We went to the ship and turned the new boat over ready to paint her. The Capt. asked me how I got along - told me that if we had not got a whale just as we did, I would have been laid on the rocks.

Tuesday, June 18th We went to the ship and began taking in salt water.

Wednesday, 19th We finished taking in salt water.

Thursday, 20th It rained pretty hard to-day, dripping thro' our shanty.

Friday, 21st We scrubbed ship and dragged three casks of fresh water from the shore.

Sunday, 23rd We went down and dragged the boats in - some natives came here to the Island to live.

Monday, 24th

We dragged 100 bbls of fresh water to the ship and stowed it down.

Tuesday, 25th We were turned out at 2 o'clock - dragged one boat from each ship about 6 miles to the southward and launched them, and stopped on the floe till they came in at night and then dragged them about three miles in, over mountains of ice and ponds of water. It was a hard day's work.

Wednesday, 26th Five boats went out as they did yesterday - the bow boats crew went to the ship - and hauled two casks of fresh water from the shore.

(Dance)

Thursday, 22nd, Five boats went off. The ice broke in to the large reef outside of Depot Island.

Friday, 23rd The bow boat's crew went to and began painting ship, while the mates' boats were off. The boats hauled out at the north end of the large reef.

Saturday, 24th We - the boat's crew finished painting the outside of the ship. New rules were made - whole of day & night.

Sunday, 25th We went to the ship to paint, but when we got there, the Capt. sent us back because he found it was Sunday.

Monday, 26th We went to the ship after a load of wood.

Tuesday, 27th We hauled 30 bbls of fresh water to the ship in the forenoon, and in the afternoon the bow boat's crew went out in the boat the first time since I belonged to the boat.

Wednesday, 28th We were out in the boat all night almost frozen. We went ashore on the ice with Crapo's boat's crew - one of whom was C. Williams - C. Fowler.

Thursday, 29th All night in the boat, - was a very cold night.

Friday, June 30th The boats did not go out to-day - was too rough.

Saturday, July 1st We were out in the boat all day, and when we got in at night we found that the 2^d mate of the Geo. & Mary had not come, so we had to start off again. We found him about ten or twelve miles off shore with a whale turned up - having turned him up about 11 o'clock in the forenoon. We got him alongside the floe about 7 o'clock in Sunday morning, July 2^d - We then came up up to the shanty and slept till noon and we then lunched and at 5 o'clock Sunday night we came in, but we had to start off and stay all Sunday night.

Monday, 3^d We turned in this forenoon, and when we woke up we found our tender alongside the floe edge.

Tuesday, 4th The 2^d mate of the Geo. & Mary got another whale. Mr. Binks came back from "whale point." Our tender got a small whale.

Wednesday, 5th We got another whale - towed all day.

Thursday, 6th The 3^d mate of the Geo. & Mary got a whale which we cut in by night - 3^d mates went out to-night.

Friday, July, 7th We went off in the morning, but it came in foggy and we hauled up at noon. In the afternoon we hauled blubber to the ship.

Saturday, 8th It was foggy this forenoon - we hauled the rest of our blubber to the ship - boiled all day, and went out in the boats at night.

Sunday, 9th Mr. Bink's crew went in the boat to-day. The ice broke into the Island. We got orders to move to the ship.

Monday, 10th Our tender arrived here with about 200 bbls. of blubber - we went to discharging her, hauling the blubber to Watson's Island.

Tuesday, 11th We finished discharging the schooner - hauled fresh water to her - towed casks from the Island to put blubber in. Mr. Bink's crew, myself and one or two more men went aboard of her to whale it - got under way.

Wednesday, 12th I had nothing to do to-day but stand a short watch.

Thursday, 13th Mr. Lister's boat's crew gammoned the small Gilly - I went in the boat.

Saturday, July 13th We arrived at Repulse Bay and the Frozen Straits, at the head of Hudson's Bay.

Sunday, 16th We set sail for Depot Island again, - finding we could not get into Repulse Bay.

Tuesday, 18th We arrived at Depot I. at 10 o'clock this morning, - Capt's crew went on board the ship - found that the Eagle, Concordia & Geo & Mary had gone outside last night. We set sail in the schooner for Marble Island got there before night.

Wednesday & Thursday, 19th & 20th We towed off the oil our schooner got at flae whaling - 2 casks, - also, wood, coal, &c, from the house on Marble Island. We then set sail for Depot I. ~~at~~ Thursday night.

Friday, 21st We anchored alongside the bark.

Saturday, 22nd We unloaded the tender, - stowed down 50 bbls of oil which has been hoiled out aboard the bark. We had to put out again at night on account of ice coming down on us. Bink & Chester went up to whale point in their boats to see if they could see anything.

Sunday, July 23^d We had a gale-accompanied by
thunder and lightning.

Monday, 24th The gale continued all day.

Tuesday, 25th Mr. Binks and Chester came off to the
schooner, having killed a bear and a deer.

Wednesday, 26th We anchored alongside the ship-tender
took in ballast = towed 12 bbls. blubber from Watson's I.
We also towed casks, spars, &c from Depot I. to the ship.

Thursday, 27th We again set sail in the tender for
Marble I. Mr. Binks and crew went aboard the ship to
stop.

Friday, 28th Arrived at M. I. - chased a whale all
day and half of the night, but did not get him.

Saturday, 29th Lowered two boats for the whale
we chased Friday, but did not get him.

Sunday, 30th Arrived off Depot I. - found the ship
outside. All the ship's crew came aboard the ship, bag
and baggage, sailed north.

Wednesday, August 2^d Ship Daniel Webster
of N. Bedford, arrived off Marble P. - our tender gam-
med her - got news from home, but we did not get the
news till Thursday morning

Thursday, 3^d Capt. of tender came aboard - bro't
papers - also news that the war was about over, - Lincoln
was shot - Davis was captured, &c.

Saturday, 5th We came in to Depot again, - towed off
some spars - gave the tender some provisions - ready to
leave Hudson's Bay.

Sunday, 6th Mr. Chester took his boat and went up
to Charles Island and took up the remains of Melville
Hamm a man who died last voyage - Dec. 22, 1862. We
weighed anchor and went outside

Monday, 7th We had a gale, accompanied by a cold rain.

Tuesday, 8th Another gale, with a plenty of snow
and rain.

Wednesday, 9th We set sail - schooner and bark, for
Fox's Channel, with a fair wind.

Thursday, Aug. 10th We ran before the wind all day - making 14 1/2 miles from yesterday noon till to-day noon.

Friday, 11th We made Mansfield Island - saw the wreck of the English ship from mast-head - and a plenty of ice.

Saturday, 12th We made a large body of ice in the mouth of the Straits - some say Fox's Channel - and saw what we supposed to be the Bark Andrews, of N. B. ~~But~~ She set her private signal, but she being in the solid pack of ice, we could not get within two or three miles of her. She was anchored to the ice.

Sunday, 13th We had a cold rainy, foggy day and night.

Monday, 14th The steamer lighted up about noon.

Tuesday, 15th It is raining again to-day.

Wednesday, 16th To-day I looked at the thermometer and found it stood 4 degs. above freezing. It has been raining to-day also.

Thursday, Aug. 17th We have been running before the wind to-day, and to-night we hauled on the wind between two islands at the entrance to Fox's Channel.

Friday, 18th The thermometer stood at 2 degs. ^{freezing} above 0. Was foggy all last night and to-day.

Saturday, 19th It was foggy all day.

Sunday, 20th Was foggy in the forenoon but it cleared up after dinner, and we found ourselves almost ^(on shore) on the rocks.

Monday, 21st We got a fair wind to-day, and so we started for home. The northern lights are very bright to-night.

Tuesday, 22nd The Capt. gave us a barrel of molasses in the forecabin. We came to a large body of ice about 6 o'clock - went through it in three hours, and then "laid to" the rest of the night alongside another pack.

Wednesday, 23rd To-day we have been running thro' packs of ice and by icebergs, and to night we are "laid-to" all within Savase Island.

Saturday, Aug. 24th

Thursday, Aug. 24th We have been running through ice all day.

Friday, 25th To-day, we took in our cutting stage and sent down our cutting tackles - put a cask of coal aboard the tender. We made Resolution Island - also Button Island at the mouth of the Straits. I had a row with Birks to night at the wheel. The schooner left us for home.

Saturday, 26th We have been beating to get around Button Island. To-night at 6 o'clock, the schooner was out of sight ahead of us.

Sunday, 27th It came in foggy this morning, but when the fog cleared away, we found that the schooner was close to us - we having gained on her.

Monday, 28th It has been blowing a strong breeze all day, and to-night we have been under double-reefed topsails. We have lost sight of the schooner again.

Tuesday, 29th - 3 o'clock - morning. The gale is now blowing as hard as ever, and we are "just going"

towards home, as fast as wind and sea can carry us
under double-reefed topsails, and foresails.

Wednesday, 30th Aug. To-day we have been under close
reefed topsails, scudding before the wind at the rate of
about nine knots, but to-night the wind and sea
has gone down some, and we have top-gallant-sails
set. The Capt. took the sun to-day, and found we
are 3 deg, 4 miles from Resolution. The northern lights
are very bright to-night.

Thursday, 31st To-day we passed a large iceberg, the
first we have seen since we got out of the straits.

Friday, September, 1st This forenoon we saw a ship
astern of us. To-night the wind hauled around a head of us.

Saturday, 2^d A gale of wind, accompanied by rain
and fog, has come up this afternoon, & dreary night
this is, too.

Sunday, 3^d The gale continued all day.

Monday, 4th To-day we have had a fair wind, at noon, 48th 17

Tuesday, Sept. 5th This morning we saw a schooner off our lee bow, and to-night, during the dog-watch we passed a long-boat, from the wreck of some merchantman, who has been cast-away on Cape Race, probably, as we are now off Cape Race. It has been squally all day - this forenoon we carried away our mizzen head stay. This noon we were in latitude 41, 60. To-night we have changed our course from south-west to west-south-west.

Wednesday, 6th To-day we have seen three vessels - the wind has hauled around ahead, and has been blowing a gale all day and night - It has been raining all night also. Mr. B. caught a porpoise. To-day is the warmest day we have seen since we left home. We carried away our main sheet.

Thursday, 8th Mr. C. & Mr. B. caught two fish to-day - saw two vessels. The storm which has been raging all ^{last} night has cleared away - the wind being ahead a little.

Friday, 8th To-day we saw three sails - one a packet-ship with Royals and sky sails set, while we had nothing but topsails and courses set. To-night it has squally and rainy and at last the wind has a little and is now abeam.

Saturday, Sept. 9th There is quite a strong breeze blowing to-day, and it ~~looks~~ looks as though we were going to get home "sometime". We have seen two vessels to-day. To-night it is squally, and we are under double-reefed topsails.

Sunday, 10th The wind has hauled ahead.

Monday, 11th The wind is a head yet, and we do not head our course by four or five points.

Tuesday, 12th The wind ahead yet, and last night we had to reef - also we had to reef this afternoon. All hands are down at the mouth, saying they will never get home.

Thursday, 14th We cleaned the try-works - whelp washed them - took down the turning lathe. To-day has been uncomfortably warm.

Friday, 15th This forenoon the port-watch filled, the scuttle-butt with water, and this afternoon we scrubbed the paint-work aft and the bulwarks. To-night the wind has hauled and is free once more.

Saturday, Sept. 16th This morning we scrubbed decks and painted the smoke-stacks and the Deck-pot.
We have had a free wind all day, and we have been sailing along at a good rate, but to-night the wind has gone down. This noon we were within 260 miles of New London.

Sunday, 17th We have got a head wind again to-day; also, we saw three vessels to-day.

Monday, 18th It has been calm to-day, but to-night there is a light breeze from the northward & eastward.

Tuesday, 19th The wind has increased to a gale, and we have been under double-reefed topsails all day, also a heavy rain. This afternoon we passed close to a brig named "Mary Wheeler". We have a head wind to-night.

Wednesday, 20th We saw eleven vessels this forenoon, two of which proved to be New York pilot boats; one of them came down to us and gave us papers.
We made land at 2 o'clock this afternoon, also saw a quantity of steamships and other vessels. We laid to off Montauk Light all night.

Thursday, Sept, 21st This morning we got a pilot and arrived at New London about 10 o'clock.

Friday, 22^d I started for Seaconia today, but had to stop at Worcester all night.

Saturday, 23^d I arrived at Manchester - stopped over one train, and arrived at Seaconia to-night.

I came to Charlestown to-day, Nov. 17th 1866, and
went to work in the Cabinet Shop, the 18th Nov. 1866.





Arctic Minstrels.

Will give their first entertainment this Friday Evening
Nov. 11th 1864.

R. Lainwood ----- Manager,
W. Crook ----- Secretary,
C. H. Dufey ----- Treasurer.

Programme

Part 1st

Opening Address ----- Mr. Lainwood.
Grand Overture ----- Company,
puba ----- Mr. Dufey.

The Echo.

Mr. Lainwood, Mr. Dufey, Mr. Durgin.
Song ----- Mr. Durgin

Part 2^d

Lidien's Band ----- Mr. Dufey, Crook, Rogers.
Police Office ----- Full Company,
pig Dance ----- Master Tommy,
Going to the Ball ----- Company,
(over)

— Part 9^d —

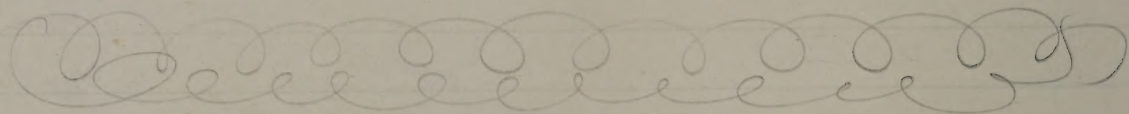
Stump Speech - - - - Mr. Linwood.

Scene in Hamlet.

Mr. Linwood, Mr. Crook.

The whole to conclude with the laughable Shaker
walk around

Doors open at 1/4 past 8 - Curtain rises at 7 o'clock.



Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company
Will give their first performance this Wednesday
Evening Nov. 16th 1864

Song - - - - - Mr. Cleve.

Louke the Laborer.

Louke - - - - - Mr. E. Bove

Farmer Wakefield - - - - - Mr. Cleve,

Esq. Chase. - - - - - Mr. Crook.

Philip - (a sailor) - - - - - Mr. Miller

Bobby Pratt - - - - - Mr. Howland.

Chas. Maydew. - - - - - Mr. Baumg.

Dick - - - - - Mr. Heft.

Thomas - - - - - Mr. Ryan

Landlord - - - - - Mr. Chaffer

Nickial - (a gipsy) - - - - - Mr. Barry.

Dame Wakefield - - - - - J. Price

Clara - - - - - C. Williams

penny - - - - - J. Algie

Reapers, Villagers, Gipsy &c.

Song - - - - - Mr. Howland

(over)

Sea. Plank Statue

Capt. Marco (afterwards Statue)	Mr. Leicester
Hunks	Mr. Young
Paddy	Mr. Rogers
Old Man	Mr. Crago
Old Woman	Mr. Smith
Artist	Mr. Miller
Darkey	Mr. Linnwood
Kina	J. Algic

Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company.

Will give their 2^d entertainment this Thursday Evening
 Nov 24th 1864.

Bombasties Furioso.

Bombasties	Mr. Crook
King	Mr. Cleve
Fusbuys	Mr. Crago

Destifina	Fred. Layane
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Song	Mr. Rogers
Hig Dance	Master Tommy

Robbers of the Black Cave

Roderick	Mr. Rowe
Ben	Mr. Crape
Nano	Mr. Stenson
Jacques	Mr. Chipman
Mr. Fennel	Mr. Cleve
Arthur (his son)	Mr. Miller
Bolton	Mr. Lester

Rose	C. Williams
Servant	J. Brice

Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company,
Will give their 3^d entertainment this Friday Eve.
Dec. 24 1864,

Toodles,

Farmer Acorn	Mr. Cleve
Geo. Acorn	" Montgomery
Chas. Trenton	" Lester
Mr. Toodles	" Linwood

Mary Acorn	C. Williams
Mrs. Toodles	J. Elgie

Farmers, Villagers, &c.

Box & Cox

Box	Mr. Young
Cox	" Howland.

Mrs. Bouncer	Fred. Layons.
Fig Dance	Mr. McDonald.

The Omnibus

Lodger	Mr. Cleve.
Pat Rooney	" Bagers.
Mrs. Dobbs	" Montgomery
Tom	" Crock.
Boy	Keefe.

Julia	Mr. Butler.
Mrs. Dobbs	J. Price.
" Danifer	Fred. Layons
Miss. Gemma Danifer	J. Algier.

Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company
Will give their 14th entertainment this Eve, Dec 9th 1864

— The Peccat Witness. — Dec, 9th 1864

Michael Annard	Montgomery
Paul Tuscal	Ed. Rowe
Robt. Annard	Orock
Gilbert the Peccat	Mrs. Howland
Earl of Sussex	" Chipman

Samuel Tuscal	J. Price
Jennet	C. Williams

— The Irish Emigrant. —

Paddy O'Brien	Mr. Rogers
Pom Bobolink	" Miller
Granite	" Lester
Stirling	" Cleve
Henry Bravers	" Barry
William	" Smith
Polly Bobolink	" Algie

Mrs. Grimmerkin	" Butler
Mary Bravers	" Williams

The Stranger - Dec 17th 1864.

The Stranger	Mr. Montgomery.
Baron Steinford	" Rowe.
Francis	" Miller.
Count Winterson	" Lester.
Mr. Solomon	" Cleve.
Tobias	" Rogers.
Peter	" Black.
Children	Tom, Keefe & Joe Rogers.

Mrs. Waller	Mr. Young.
Countess Winterson	" Williams.
Charlott	" J. Algic.
Lusan	Fred. Lyons.

Arctic Minstrels

Will give their third entertainment this Tuesday Evening, Dec. 20th
— 1864 —

R. Limwood	Manager.
W. Crook	Secretary.
C. Durfee	Treasurer.

Programme - Part, 1st

Grand Overture	Company.
Pig Dance	Tom. Kedge.

The Draft - Company. Part 2^d -

Duet	Crook & Howland
Who Stole the Ham	Company.
Essence of Old Virginia	Mr. Durfee.
Gymnasticks Feats	Limwood, Crook Ellis, Durfee.
Rosa's Serenade	Part 3 ^d Algie, Limwood, Howland.
Speech	Limwood & Howland.
Plantation Walk Around	Company.

Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company.
Will give their 5th entertainment this Friday Eve, Dec 29th
1864

Michael Earle, the Maniac Lover —
Michael Earle — — — — — Mr. Howland.
Phillip De Arville — — — — — Mr. Montgomery.
Andrew — — — — — " Greek.
Miles Melville — — — — — " Lester
Gardner — — — — — " Cleve.
Servant — — — — — " Ellis

Mary — — — — — C. Williams
Julia — — — — — J. Algie
Villagers, &c.

Jig Dance — — — — — Mr. Ellis.

More Blunders than One.

Larry Koolagan — — — — — Mr. Rogers
Henry Melbourne — — — — — Mr. Miller
Old Melbourne — — — — — " Barry.
Susan — — — — — " Young.
Lettie — — — — — E.P. Butler
Louisa — — — — — P. Lyons.

Henderson's Bay Dramatic Company
Will give their 6th entertainment this Friday Eve, Dec 30th

1864

Like the Laborer

Lenke	Mr. Rowe.
Farmer Wakefield	" Cleve.
Esq. Chase	" Crook.
Phillip (a sailor)	" Montgomery
Bobby Pratt	" Howland.
Chas. Mayders	" Young.
Dick	" Hef.
Thomas	" Ryan
Landtard	" Chaffee
Michael	" Barry.
Dame Wakefield	J. Price
Clara	C. Williams
Jenny	J. Atgie.
Reapers, &c.	
Song	Mr. Howland
Cover	

More Blunders than Two ----- Company
Right Rope ----- Algier
Part 3rd

Jig Dance ----- Ellis
Essence of Old Virginia ----- Duffey
Deaf Countryman ----- Howland & Duffey
Bond Sale ----- Limwood
Barber's Shop in an uproar ----- Limwood & Hef
Speech ----- Limwood
Walk Around ----- Company

Hudson's Big Dramatic Company
Will give their 7th Entertainment this Friday Eve Jan, 18th

Damon and Pythias

Damon	Mr. Montgomery
Pythias	" Perce
Dionisious	" Lester
Procles	" Ellis
Damocles	" Rogers
Philistias	" Cleve
Senchalus	" Crook

(over)

Herzog	Mr. Williams
Colantha	" Young,
Assier	" Prich.

Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company
 Will give their 18th entertainment this Friday Eve,
 Jan. 20th, 1865.

Foodles

Farmer Acorn	Mr. Cleve,
Geo. Acorn	" Montgomery,
Chas. Fenton	" Lester,
Mr. Foodles	" Howland,
Mary Acorn	" Williams,
Mrs. Foodles	" Elgie,

Farmers, Villagers, &c.

Fig Dance	McDonald
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Box and Cox

Box	Mr. Young
Cox	" Howland,
Mrs. Bouncer	" Loyens,

Henderson's Bay Dramatic Company
 Will give their 8th entertainment, this Friday Eve. Jan 27
 1865.

The Idiot Witness

Michael Annard	Mr. Lester
Paul Gussal	" Rowe.
Rebt, Annard	" Crook.
Gilbert the Idiot	" Howland.
Earl of Sussex	" Chipman
Dave Gussal	J. Price
Jennet	C. Williams

The Village Lawyer

Judge Mitamus	Mr. Crook.
Sheepface	" Crook.
Mr. Scout (the lawyer)	" Young.
Mr. Snarl.	" Ellis.
Chas. Snarl	" Ellis.
Mrs. Scout	J. Algie
Kate	Fred. Lyons.
Clerk, Policemen, &c.	

Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company
Will give their 9th entertainment this Friday Eve,
— Feb. 3rd 1865, —

— Michael Earle, the Maniac Lover. —
Michael Earle — — — — — Mrs. Howland.
Phillip De Arville — — — — — " Rowe.
Andrew — — — — — " Orack.
Miles Melville — — — — — " Leicester
Gardener — — — — — " Cleve.
Serrant — — — — — " Ellis

Mary, — — — — — C. Williams
Julia — — — — — J. Algie.
Villagers, &c.

— More Blunders than One —
Larry Hoogan — — — — — Mr. Rogers.
Henry Melborne — — — — — " Miller
Old " — — — — — " Barry.
Susan — — — — — " Young.
Leattie — — — — — " Butler.
Louisa — — — — — " Lyons.

Hudson's Bay Dramatic Company
 Will give their 10th entertainment this Wednesday
 — Eve., Feb. 8th 1865 —

— Damon and Pythias —

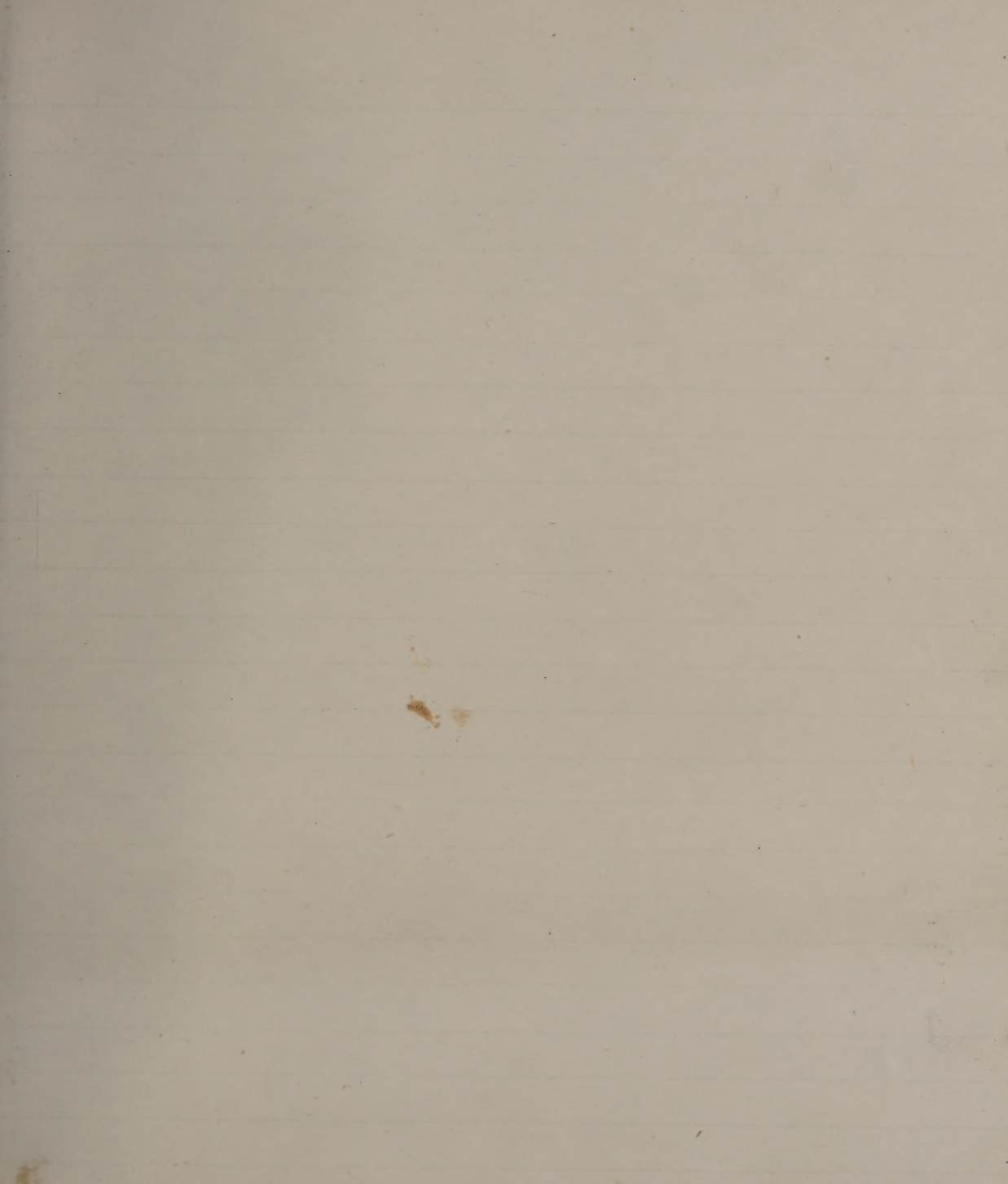
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Dionighious	" Lester
Procles	" Ellis
Damocles	" Riggs
Philistias	" Cleve.
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Hermione	C. Williams
Colantha	C. Young
Arner	J. Price
Soldiers, &c.	

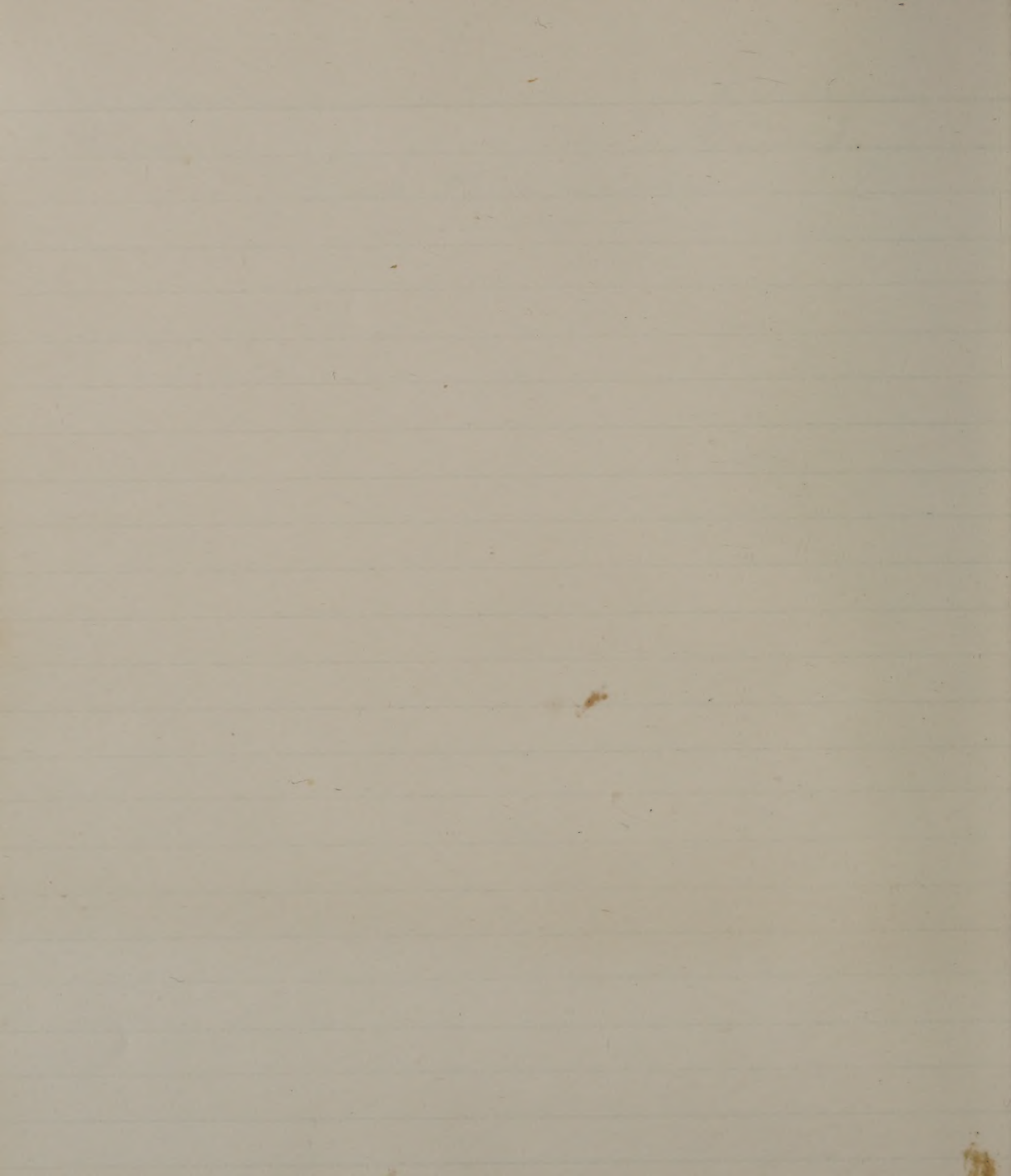
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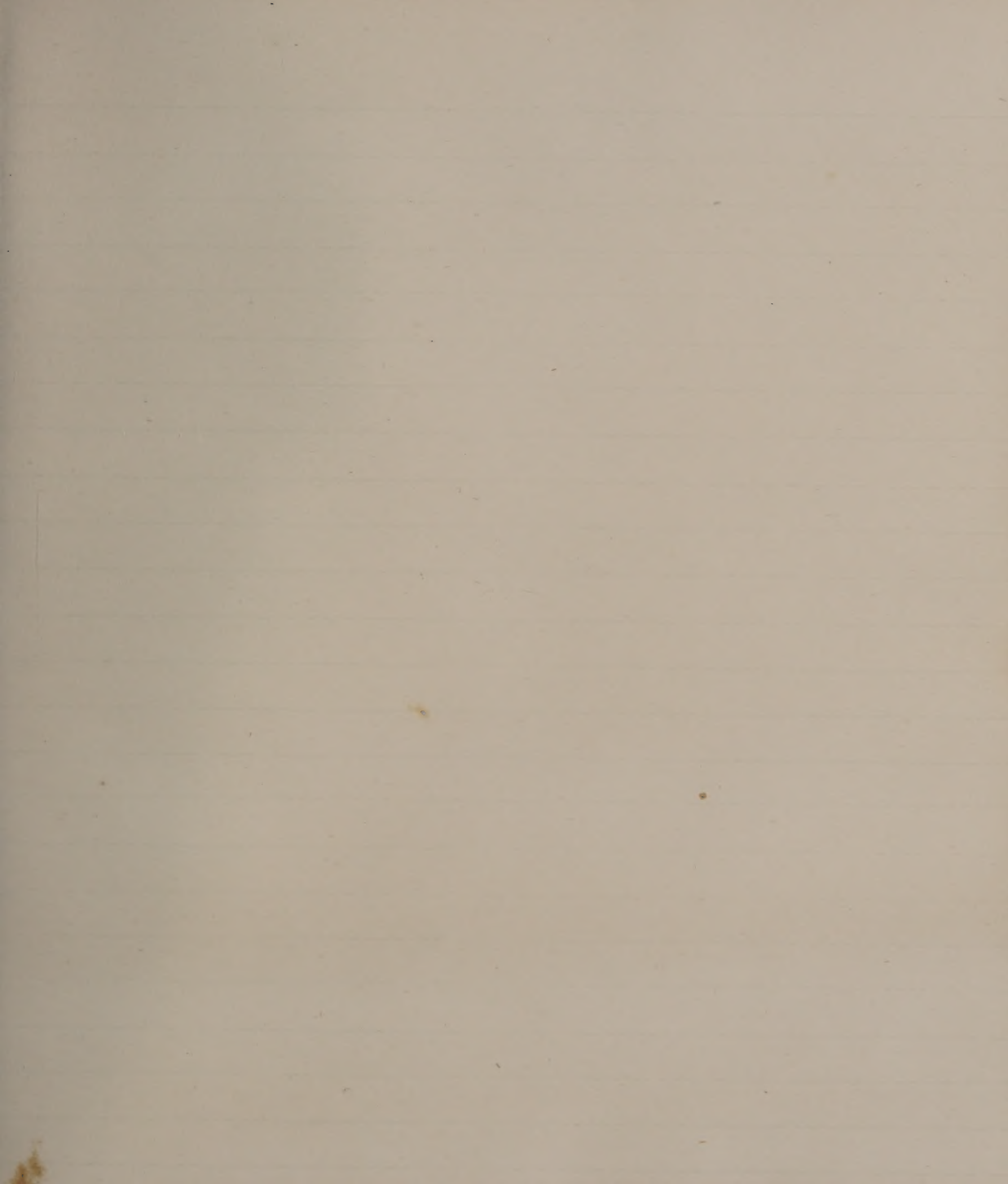
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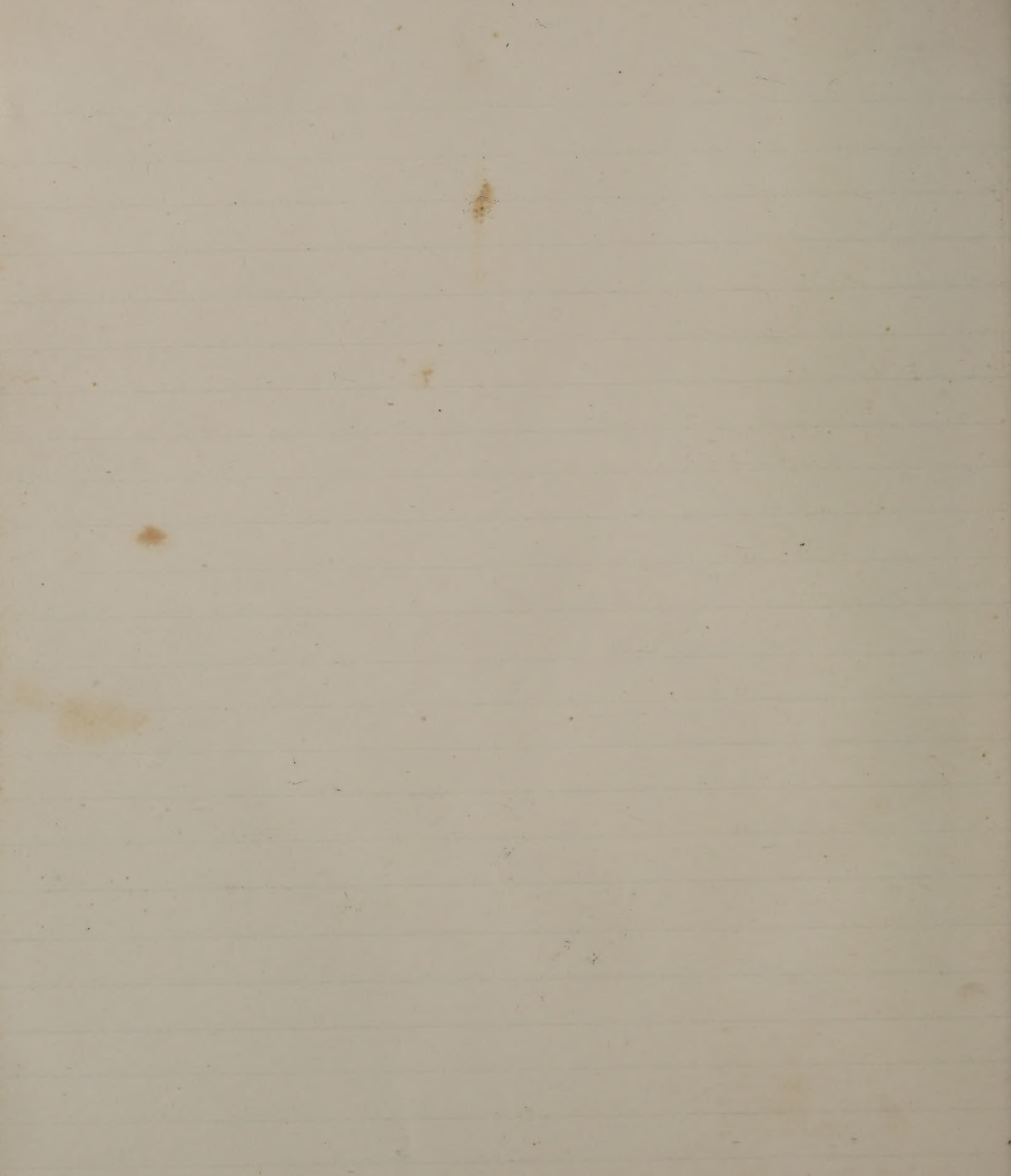
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Hale — — — — — Fred. Lyons.
Clerk, Policemen, &c.









October, 1864.

Date	Temp	Remarks
Oct 20 th	-----	Zero.
" 21 st	-----	8 below "
" 22 ^d	-----	3 " "
" 23 ^d	-----	10 " "
" 24 th	-----	10 " "
" 25 th	-----	17 " "
" 26 th	-----	10 " "
" 27 th	-----	16 " "
" 28 th	-----	14 " "
" 29 th	-----	14 above "
" 30 th	-----	15 below "
" 31 st	-----	8 above "

November

Date	Temp	Remarks
Nov. 1 st	-----	4 below freezing
" 2 ^d	-----	2 above zero.
" 3 ^d	-----	5 below "
" 4 th	-----	8 " "
" 5 th	-----	6 " "
" 6 th	-----	2 " "
" 7 th	-----	24 " "
" 8 th	-----	27 " "
" 9 th	-----	10 " "
" 10 th	-----	16 " "

Nov. 11th ----- 14 below zero

" 12th ----- 4 " "

" 13th ----- zero

" 14th ----- 8 " "

" 15th ----- "

" 16th ----- 4 below freezing

" 17th ----- 12 " " 8 V

" 18th ----- 11 above zero

" 19th ----- 2 below "

" 20th ----- 16 " "

" 21st ----- 12 " "

" 22^d ----- 2 " "

" 23^d ----- 10 " "

" 24th ----- 2 " "

" 25th ----- 17 " "

" 26th ----- 30 " "

" 27th ----- 8 " "

" 28th ----- 8 below freezing

" 29th -----

" 30th -----

December

Dec 1st -----

" 2^d ----- 16 below zero

" 3^d ----- 24 " "

Dec. 1 th	32 below zero	Dec. 29 th	36 below zero
" 5 th	39 "	" 30 th	29 "
" 6 th	30 "	" 31 st	14 "
" 7 th	26 "	January, 1865	
" 8 th	24 "		
" 9 th	45 "	Jan. 1 st	26 below zero
" 10 th	58 "	" 2 ^d	38 "
" 11 th	52 "	" 3 rd	40 "
" 12 th	42 "	" 4 th	52 "
" 13 th	42 "	" 5 th	44 "
" 14 th	51 "	" 6 th	42 "
" 15 th	30 "	" 7 th	46 "
" 16 th	47 "	" 8 th	52 "
" 17 th	38 "	" 9 th	48 "
" 18 th	46 "	" 10 th	48 "
" 19 th	41 "	" 11 th	38 "
" 20 th	38 "	" 12 th	44 "
" 21 st	30 "	" 13 th	47 "
" 22 nd	30 "	" 14 th	38 "
" 23 rd	12 "	" 15 th	47 "
" 24 th	54 "	" 16 th	44 "
" 25 th	30 "	" 17 th	33 "
" 26 th	37 "	" 18 th	26 "
" 27 th	38 "	" 19 th	30 "
" 28 th	32 "		

January		
Jan 1 st	20 th	26 below zero
" 21 st	25 th	" "
" 22 nd	28 th	" "
" 23 rd	13 th	" "
" 24 th	20 th	" "
" 25 th	14 th	" "
" 26 th	10 th	" "
" 27 th	19 th	" "
" 28 th	22 nd	" "
" 29 th	23 rd	" "
" 30 th	35 th	" "
" 31 st	40 th	" "

February		
Feb 1 st	40 th	below zero
" 2 nd	10 th	" "
" 3 rd	4 th	" "
" 4 th	22 nd	" "
" 5 th	36 th	" "
" 6 th	16 th	" "
" 7 th	35 th	" "
" 8 th	34 th	" "
" 9 th	30 th	" "
" 10 th	30 th	" "

Feb. 11 th	31	below zero
" 12 th	10	" "
" 13 th	32	" "
" 14 th	6	" "
" 15 th	10	" "
" 16 th	16	above zero
" 17 th	2	" "
" 18 th	4	below zero
" 19 th	8	" "
" 20 th	4	" "
" 21 st	15	" "
" 22 nd	26	" "
" 23 rd	28	" "
" 24 th	16	" "
" 25 th	46	" "
" 26 th	33	" "
" 27 th	30	" "
" 28 th	60	" "

March		
March 1 st	53	below zero
" 2 nd	46	" "
" 3 rd	42	" "
" 4 th	33	" "
" 5 th	32	" "
" 6 th	20	" "

Mar. 7 th	44	below zero
" 8 th	38	" "
" 9 th	30	" "
" 10 th	15	" "
" 11 th	12	" "
" 12 th	22	" "
" 13 th	42	" "
" 14 th	42	" "
" 15 th	36	" "
" 16 th	6	" "
" 17 th	3	above zero
" 18 th	2	below " "
" 19 th	8	" "
" 20 th	4	above zero
" 21 st	10	" "
" 22 nd	7	" "
" 23 rd	10	below " "
" 24 th	20	" "
" 25 th	20	" "
" 26 th	10	above " "
" 27 th	14	" "
" 28 th	16	" "
" 29 th	10	below " "
" 30 th	10	" "

April 1 st	2 ^d	
" 2 ^d	3 ^d	
" 3 ^d	4 th	26 below zero
" 4 th	5 th	16 " "
" 5 th	6 th	12 " "
" 6 th	7 th	34 " "
" 7 th	8 th	31 " "
" 8 th	9 th	32 " "
" 9 th	10 th	21 " "
" 10 th	11 th	24 " "
" 11 th	12 th	32 " "
" 12 th	13 th	23 " "
" 13 th	14 th	24 " "
" 14 th	15 th	23 " "
" 15 th	16 th	20 " "
" 16 th	17 th	20 " "
" 17 th	18 th	21 " "
" 18 th	19 th	14 " "
" 19 th	20 th	6 " "
" 20 th	21 st	10 " "
" 21 st	22 nd	16 above " "
" 22 nd	23 rd	10 " "
" 23 rd	24 th	12 " "

April	26 th	below zero
"	27 th	18 above
"	28 th	18 " "
"	29 th	zero
"	30 th	12 below at 3 o'clock

May	18 th	17 above zero
"	19 th	8 " "
"	20 th	16 " "
"	21 st	8 " "

May	1 st	16 above zero
"	2 ^d	12 " "
"	3 ^d	12 below
"	4 th	14 " "
"	5 th	4 " "
"	6 th	8 " "
"	7 th	10 " "
"	8 th	16 " "
"	9 th	12 " "
"	10 th	8 " "
"	11 th	6 " "
"	12 th	6 above
"	13 th	6 " "
"	14 th	16 below
"	15 th	10 " "
"	16 th	8 above
"	17 th	10 " "

"	22 ^d	22 " "
"	23 ^d	18 " "
"	24 th	32 " "
"	25 th	27 " "
"	26 th	17 " "
"	27 th	10 " "
"	28 th	6 " "
"	29 th	6 " "
"	30 th	zero
"	31 st	10 below

June	1 st	6 above zero
"	2 ^d	15 " "
"	3 ^d	17 " "
"	4 th	10 " "
"	5 th	17 " "
"	6 th	14 " "
"	7 th	12 " "
"	8 th	6 " "

June 9 th	17	above zero
" 10 th	21	" "
" 11 th	20	" "
" 12 th	30	" "
" 13 th	27	" "
" 14 th	4	" "
" 15 th	7	" "
" 16 th	30	" "

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